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Whitehal, *June* 29.

WE received this Morning an account that the Earl of *Feversham*, Lieutenant General of His Majesties Forces, having notice that the Rebels were going to *Philipsnorton*, he marched from *Bath* on *Saturday* last very early, with intention to fall upon their Rear; and for that purpose advanced with a Detachement of 500 Foot, Commanded by the Duke of *Grafton*, and of Dragoons and Horse Grenadiers, leaving the rest of the Forces to follow with the Cannon; And coming to a Lane that leads into *Philipsnorton*, he heard some Musket-Shots, and thereupon detached 20 of the Horse Guards with the Company of Foot Grenadiers of the Duke of *Grafton*'s Regiment to go into that Lane to discover what it was; The Lane was soon after lined on both sides with Foot and Horse behind the Hedges, who made a very great Fire upon our Men; The Duke of *Grafton* was with them, and went as far as the Gate of the Town with as much Courage and Resolution as can be expressed; but the Enemy continuing their Fire, he retired, and in his retreat was stopt by some of the Rebels Horse, but he passed notwithstanding through them all. Captain *Hawley*, who Commanded the Grenadiers, did all that a good Officer could do; and Captain *Parker* and Captain *Vaughan* who were there, carried themselves with all the Vigor imaginable, the latter killing Captain *Matthews*, who it's thought Commanded the Rebels; and all the Officers and Soldiers in general behaved themselves extreamly well. We lost in this Action eight or nine Men, besides 30 wounded, among which there was not one Officer; Of the Volontiers Mr. *May* was killed, and Mr. *Seymour* wounded. The rest of the Kings Forces being come up, my Lord *Feversham* went off from that place, and drew up the Army in good order upon a little Hill hard by; the Rebels planted their Cannon, (they having six Pieces) and plaid upon them for two hours, but without doing them the least damage; and my Lord *Feversham* planted likewise his Cannon, which, as he was afterwards informed, did very much incommode the Rebels. The Kings Forces staid there till six in the Evening, it raining very hard all the time; upon which my Lord *Feversham* marched to *Bradford*, where he staid the next day to refresh his Troops. Colonel *Oglethorpe* was sent out with 100 Horse to observe the Rebels, who reported that they marched *Saturday* Night to *Frome*, and that he met a Gentleman coming from *Philipsnorton* who told him the Rebels had lost a great many Men in this Action, and that one Colonel *Matthews* had been killed.

Whitehal, *June* 30. The three Scotch Regiments, which were lately sent from *Holland* to *Scotland* being countermand d upon the suppressing of the Rebels in that Kingdom, are arrived this Morning at *Gravesend*; And the three English Regiments in the Service of the States-General of the United Provinces, are hourly expected from *Holland*.

Whitehall, *July* 1. We are informed that the Rebels rested all *Sunday* at *Frome*, and on *Monday* began to march towards *Warminster*, but afterwards turned westward towards *Shepton-Mallet*. The Kings Forces marched on *Monday* to *Westbury*, and from thence on *Tuesday* to *Frome* or farther to follow the Rebels.

Edinburgh, *June* 26. This week have been brought in here above 120 of the Rebels Prisoners; among which are four Dutch-men, one of them a Printer, and more are daily taken and carried to other places.

This day *Rumbold* was brought to his Tryal, for having come over with the late Earl of *Argyle*, and made a Rebellion in this Kingdom; of which being found Guilty, Sentence past upon him as in Cases of High Treason; and accordingly he was this Afternoon drawn upon a Hurdle to the Cross, and there Hanged and Quartered.

Tuesday next is appointed for the Execution of the late Earl of *Argyle*; whose Son *Charles*, having been left sick in *Argyleshire*, is since dead.

Venice, *June* 18. We have advice that the Popes Galleys and those of *Tuscany* and *Malta* have joyned the Fleet of this State, which was preparing to sail towards the *Levant*. The Turkish Fleet is at Sea, consisting of 60 Galleys and 20 Men of War, but it's said they are very ill Manned. The great Ship Launched here the last week, with the new Man of War called the *St. Joseph*, and six Galliots, will sail in three or four days to the Fleet. They write from *Dalmatia*, That the Bassa of *Bossna* hath represented to the Port, that he cannot march with the Troops under his Command for *Hungary*, without leaving that Country exposed to the Incursions of the Morlaques, and that he expects farther Orders from the Grand Signior thereupon before he begins his march.

Madrid, *June* 21. The ninth Instant in the Evening the Duke *de Medina Celi* received a Command from the King to retire within 24 hours to *Cogolludo*,